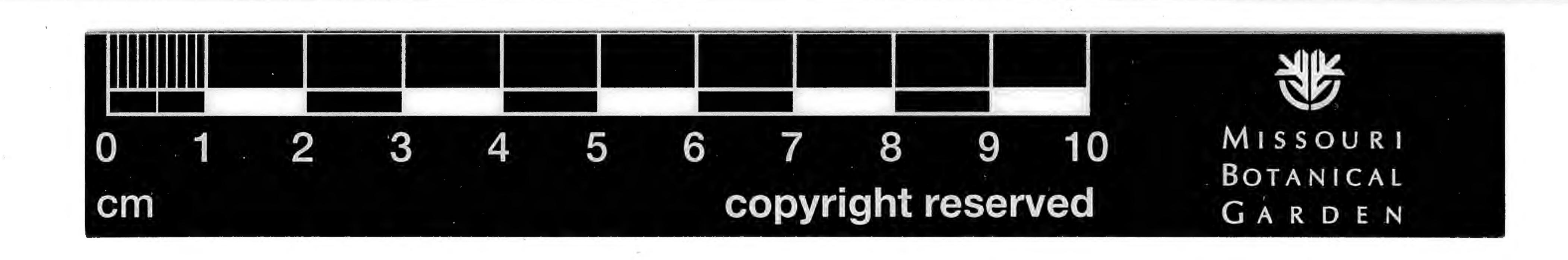
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Sir; In looking over the papers xc. Left by the former Corresponding Secretary of The Buffalo Society of Matural Sciences, (Mr Samuel Slade) I do not find any ack nowledgement from you of the recipt of the notification of your Election as an Consespon Honorary Member of the Society, I am therefore led to sufer, Either that Mur, Slade omitted Sending Such notice, or that the Setter, if sent, mis-carned, and me Either care Estim it a duty to communicate the fact to you, You were Elected an Honorary Recuber, on Robbination by Hou, G. W. Clinton at a regular meeting of the Society held on the 32 day of april 1862, Nespectfully Yours, Chas D, Marshall Corresponding Secretary



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